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Downtown Station
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ble the Hedgehog. E
s spotted making ha
mischief and the local
had been alerted. One
commitments, the St
PD were late in their
the scene. Luckily, for
lwellers, Sonic the H
arrived on the scene in
form. Eggman and his
dangerous robots were
for the blue blur's spe
His overall handling
situation was done wi
and presence o
we were at the Station
have come to expect fi
guardian. The city tha
his outstanding hero

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SONIC THE HEDGEHOG AND HIS FRIENDS WERE TRANSPORTED TO A NEW WORLD BY ONE OF DOCTOR EGGMAN'S FAULTY DEVICES. NOW THEY FIGHT TO PROTECT THE WORLD FROM DOCTOR EGGMAN-- AND ANY OTHER THREATS!

WOW! THAT THING IS FAST! BUT WHY IS IT CHASING ME?

DON'T LOSE HIM! THE ORGANIZER WILL BE FURIOUS IF YOU DO!

RELAX. I WON'T LOSE HIM!

VRRRRM!



Hedgehogging Their Bets

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I LIKE YOUR STYLE, PAL! BUT LET'S SEE IF YOU CAN KEEP UP WITH--

--THIS!



AW! THAT WAS TOO EASY! NOW I'M READY FOR MY NEXT--



?!?



--CHALLENGE ?!



ME AND MY BIG MOUTH!
LOOKS LIKE I'M STUCK BETWEEN A 'BOT...



...AND A FAST PACE!
TIME TO THINK FAST!

OF COURSE, I ALWAYS THINK FAST.
EVERYTHING I DO IS FAST.



CATCH YOU LATER, CHAMP.
THIS IS MY EXIT!



WHOA!

RUMBLE



IT'S SOME KIND OF PRISON!

HSSK!



PUH!
AND NOW
GAS! I'M
GETTING...
REALLY...

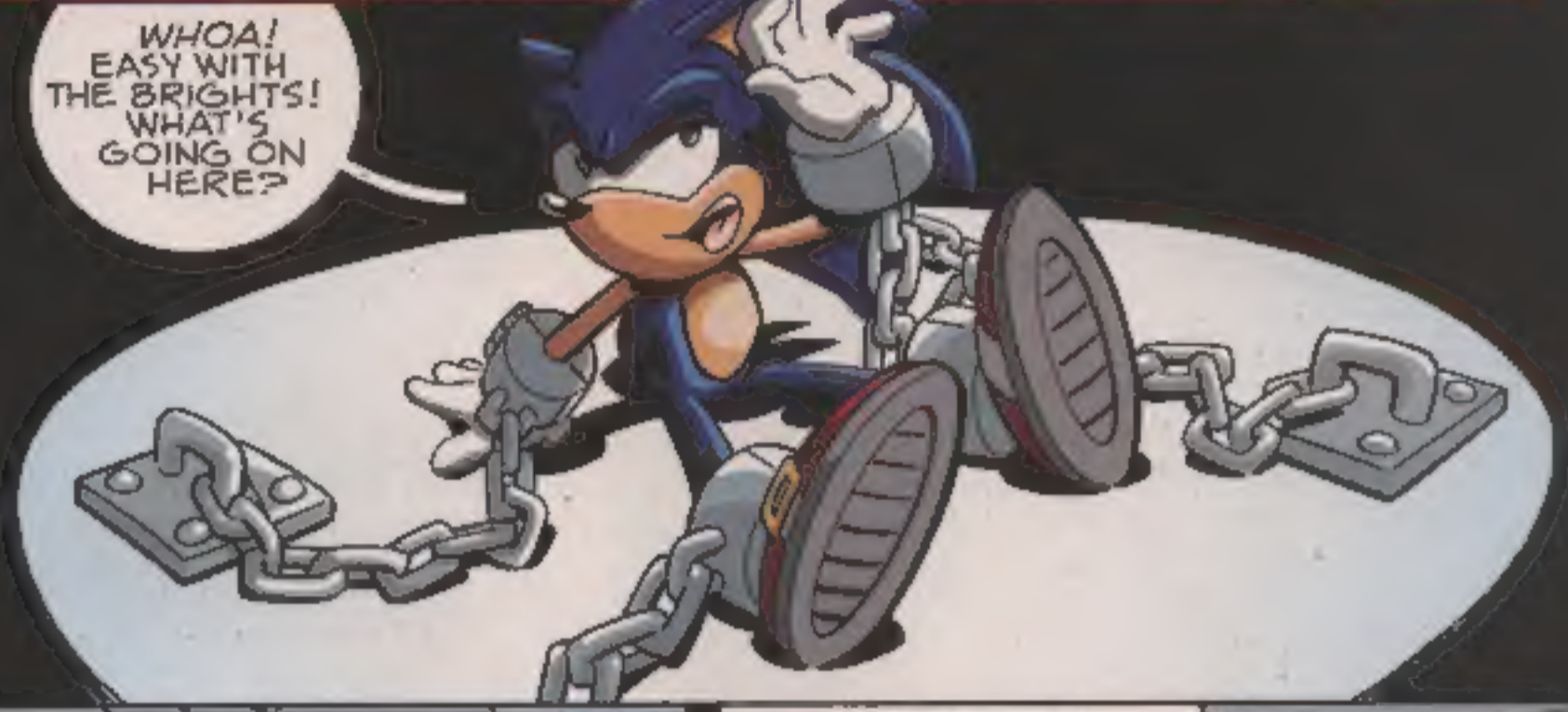


...TIRED...
...OF...
...THIS...





WHERE ...?



WHOA!
EASY WITH
THE BRIGHTS!
WHAT'S
GOING ON
HERE?



YOU'VE BEEN
CAPTURED BECAUSE
YOU'RE A MENACE TO
THE WORLD, SONIC
THE HEDGEHOG
AND WE ARE
HERE TO STOP
YOU.

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MENACE?
ME? BUT I
SAVE THE
WORLD.
A LOT.




A TIRED EXCUSE FOR
HELPING TO RUN THE WORLD
RAGGED WITH DR. EGGMAN.
THERE'S NO OTHER EXPLAN-
ATION FOR YOUR ACTIONS!



LUCKY FOR US, THE
ORGANIZER FOUND
AND BROUGHT US ALL
TOGETHER. KINDRED
SPIRITS--ALL RUINED
BY YOU!



I DON'T KNOW
WHAT YOU'RE TALKING
ABOUT. I DON'T RECOGN-
IZE ANY OF YOU GUYS.



THE
SHADOWS
DON'T
HELP
MATTERS.

YOU
IMPUDENT
LITTLE...!
FINE! WE'LL
REMIN-
D YOU!




I WAS ONCE
THE HEAD OF
C.L.I.P.--

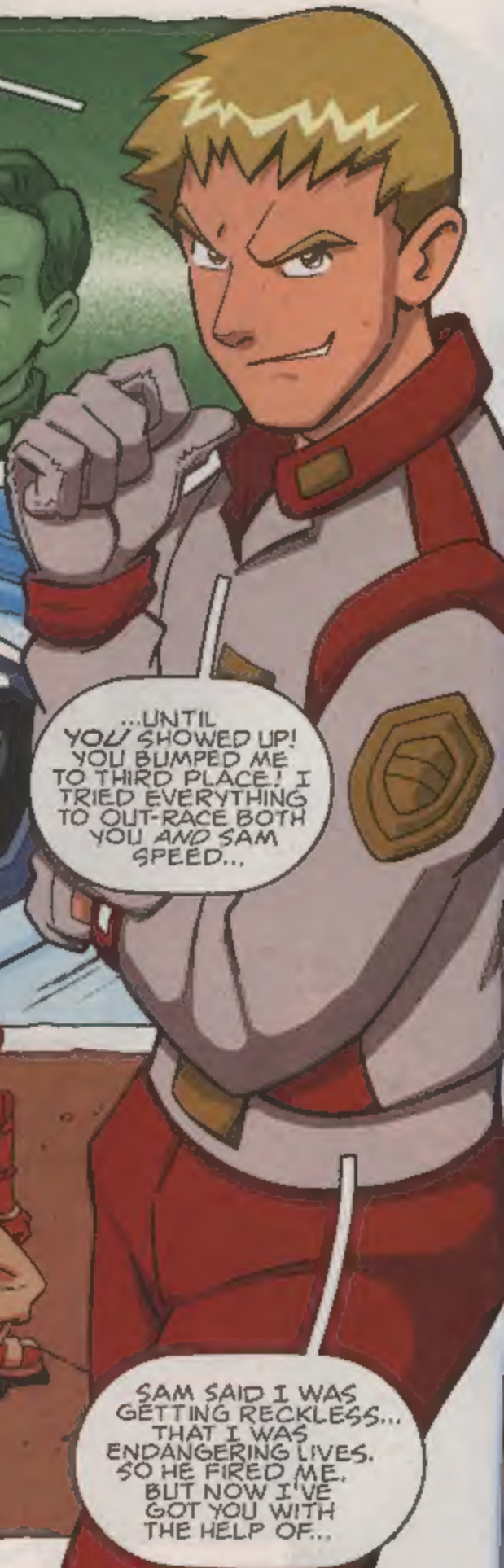
"--THE COVERT
LATERAL INTER-
NATIONAL
PROGRAM. WE
DID THE DIRTIEST
OF WORK FOR
G.U.N.

"THE SHORT-SIGHTED
PRESIDENT ORDERED
G.U.N. TO CALL A TRUCE
WITH DR. EGGMAN. I KNEW
I HAD TO ACT. I TRIED
TO TAKE OVER AND MAKE
SURE THAT ALL OF YOUR
ALIEN THREATS WERE
DESTROYED!


"BUT YOU AND YOUR
BUDDIES INTERFERED!
I WAS ARRESTED AND
TREATED LIKE A
CRIMINAL! EVEN
WHEN THE ORGANIZER
FREED ME, I
WOULDN'T HAVE
GOTTEN AWAY WITH-
OUT.."



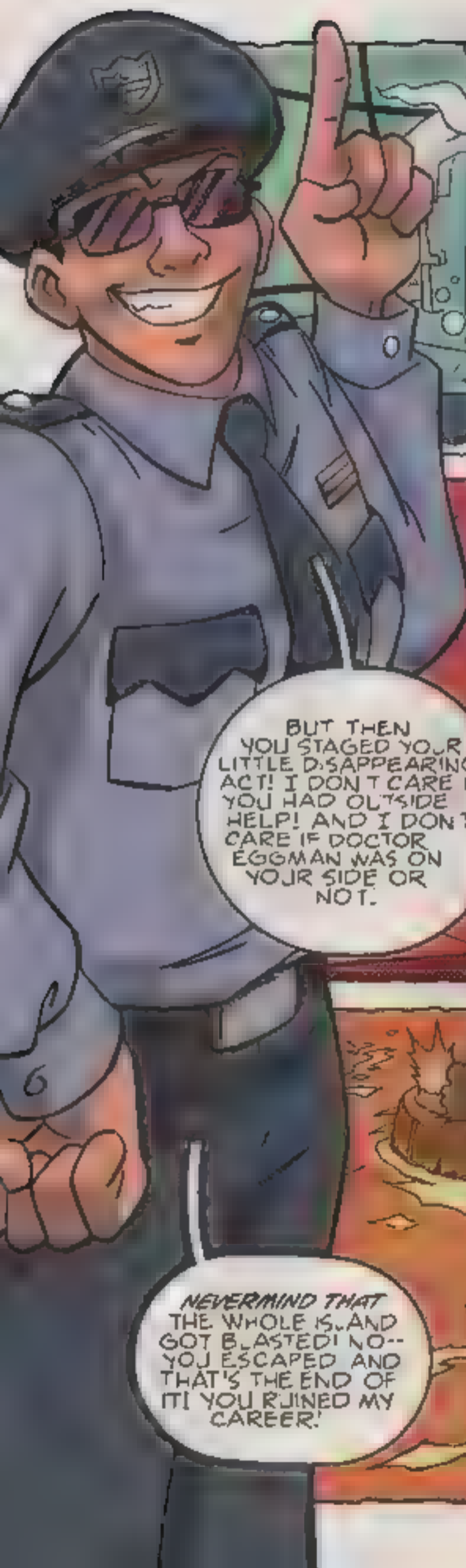
HECTOR DRAGG AT THEIR SERVICE. I USED TO BE PART OF THE STATION SQUARE SPEED TEAM. I WAS SAM'S BIGGEST RIVAL FOR FASTEST MAN ALIVE...



...UNTIL YOU SHOWED UP! YOU BUMPED ME TO THIRD PLACE! I TRIED EVERYTHING TO OUT-RACE BOTH YOU AND SAM SPEED...



SAM SAID I WAS GETTING RECKLESS... THAT I WAS ENDANGERING LIVES. SO HE FIRED ME. BUT NOW I'VE GOT YOU WITH THE HELP OF...

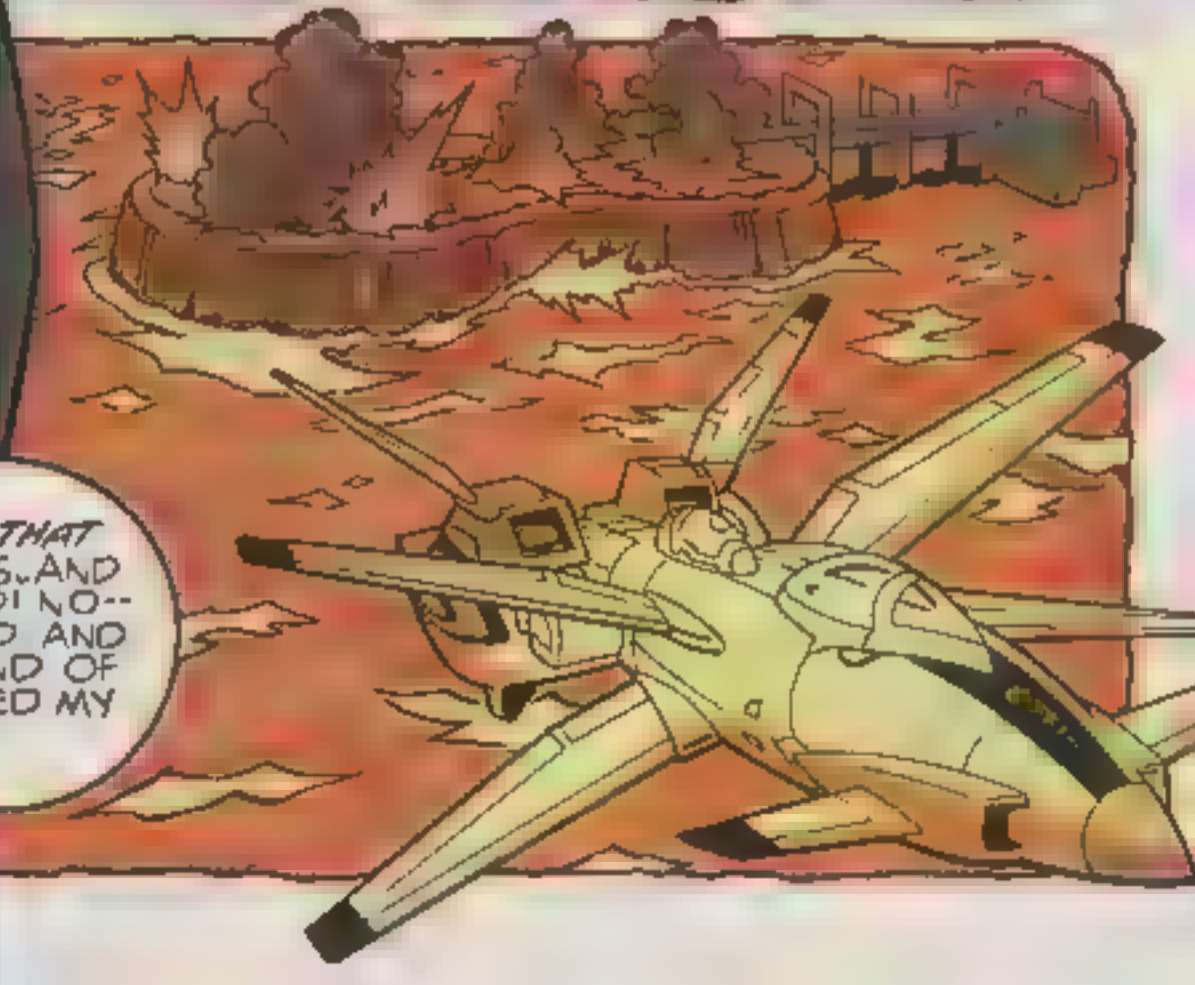


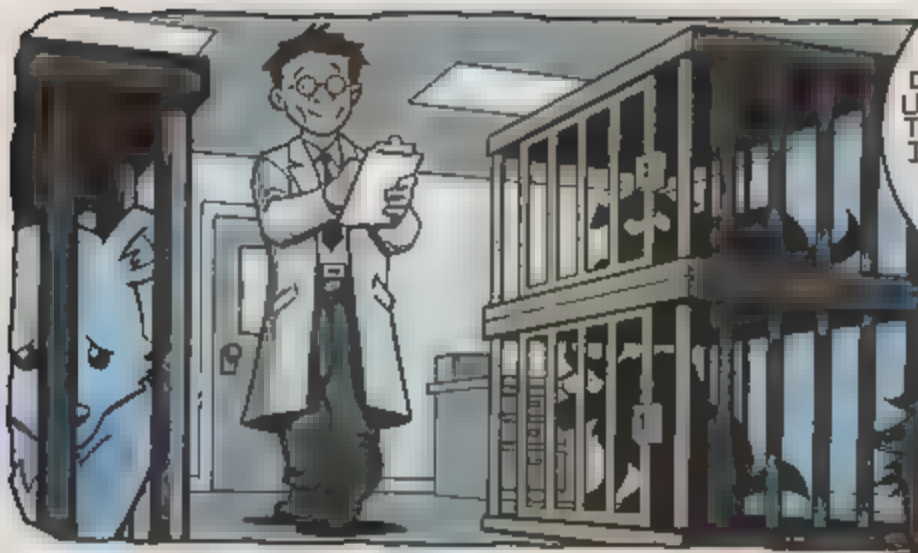
HOWARD
WATCHER--WARDEN
EXTRAORDINAIRE.
NOBODY HAD EVER
ESCAPED UNDER MY
WATCH AT PRISON
ISLAND!
NOBODY!

BUT THEN
YOU STAGED YOUR
LITTLE D.SAPPEARING
ACT! I DON'T CARE IF
YOU HAD OUTSIDE
HELP! AND I DON'T
CARE IF DOCTOR
EGGMAN WAS ON
YOUR SIDE OR
NOT.



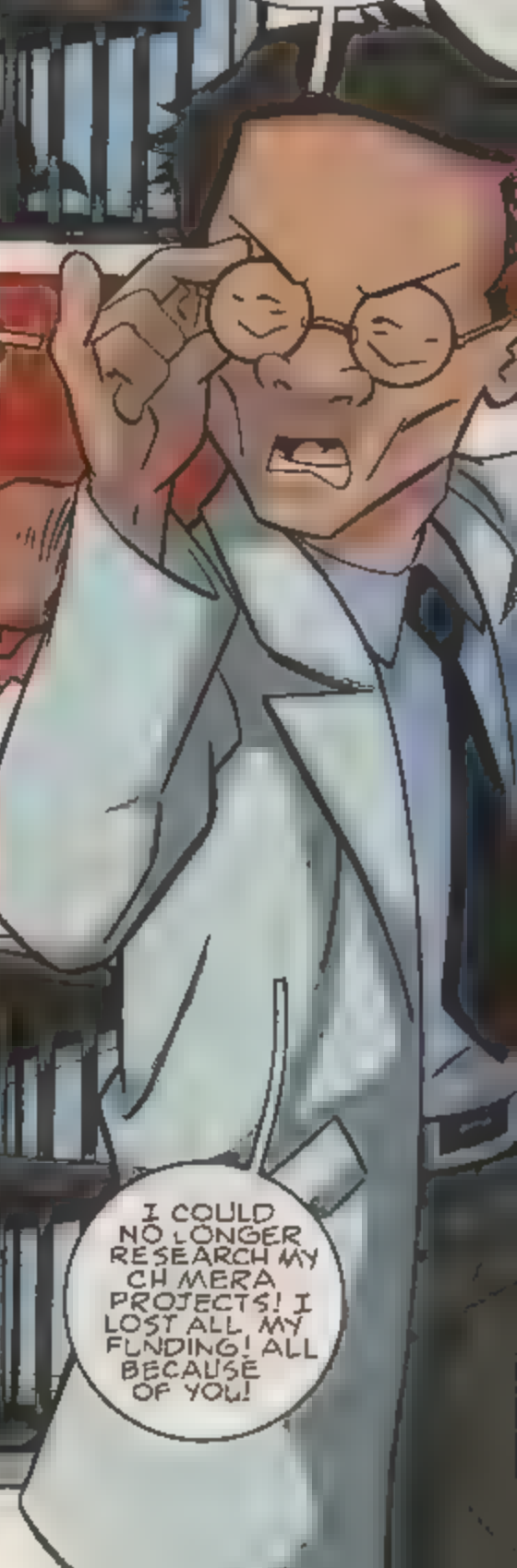
NEVERMIND THAT
THE WHOLE ISLAND
GOT BLASTED! NO--
YOU ESCAPED AND
THAT'S THE END OF
IT! YOU RUINED MY
CAREER!





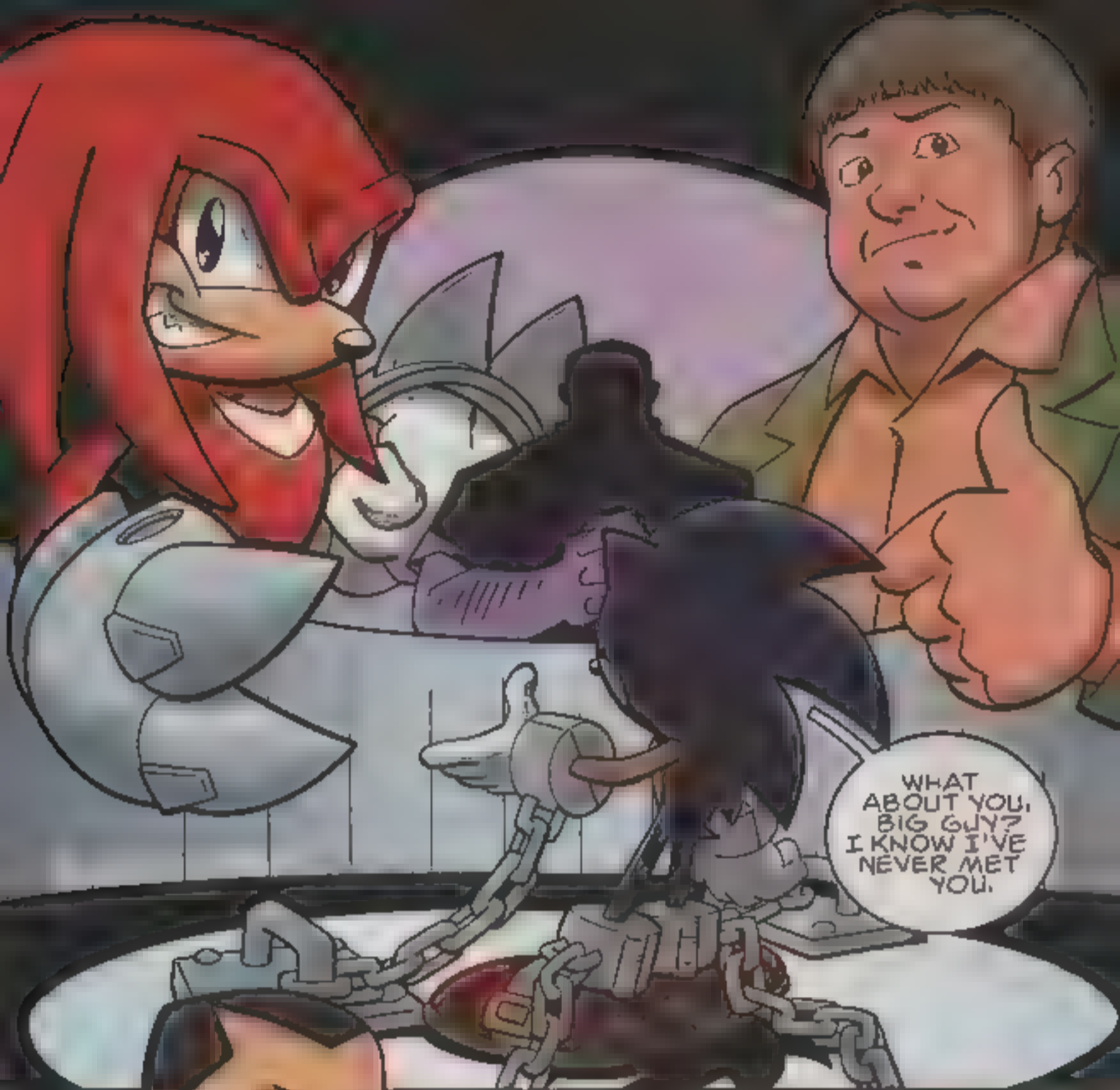
JUST LIKE YOU RUINED M.E! DOCTOR KAI NARASU USED TO BE A NAME THAT HAD RESPECT! I WAS A LEADING PROFESSOR OF BIOLOGICAL STUDIES!

WHEN YOU APPEARED, I BASED MY CAREER ON A PAPER PROVING YOU HAD TO BE A ROBOT. WHEN YOU HAD THE GALL TO BE A LIVING BEING, I WAS LAUGHED OUT OF THE UNIVERSITY! I LOST MY TENURE!

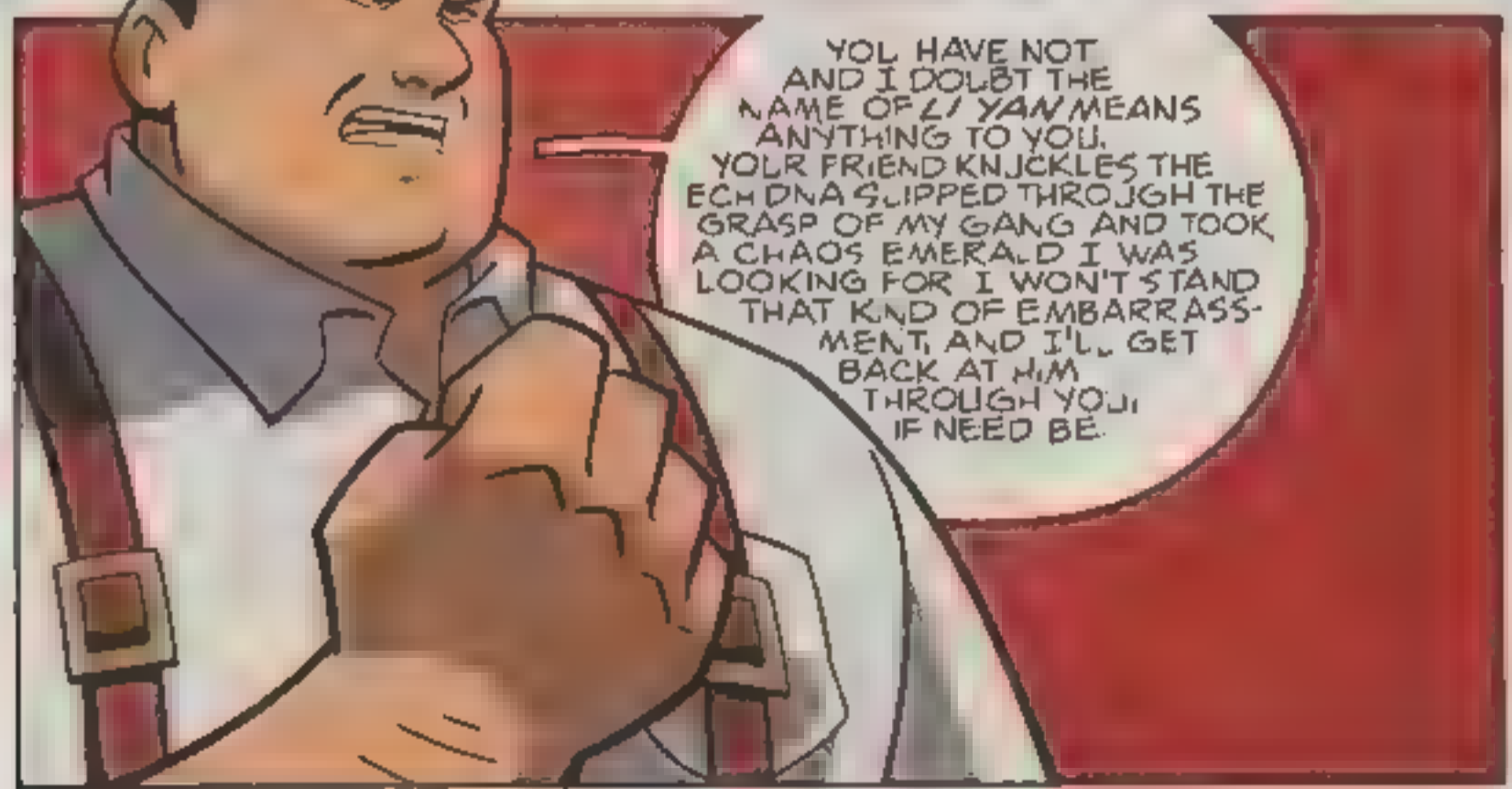


I COULD NO LONGER RESEARCH MY CHIMERA PROJECTS! I LOST ALL MY FUNDING! ALL BECAUSE OF YOU!





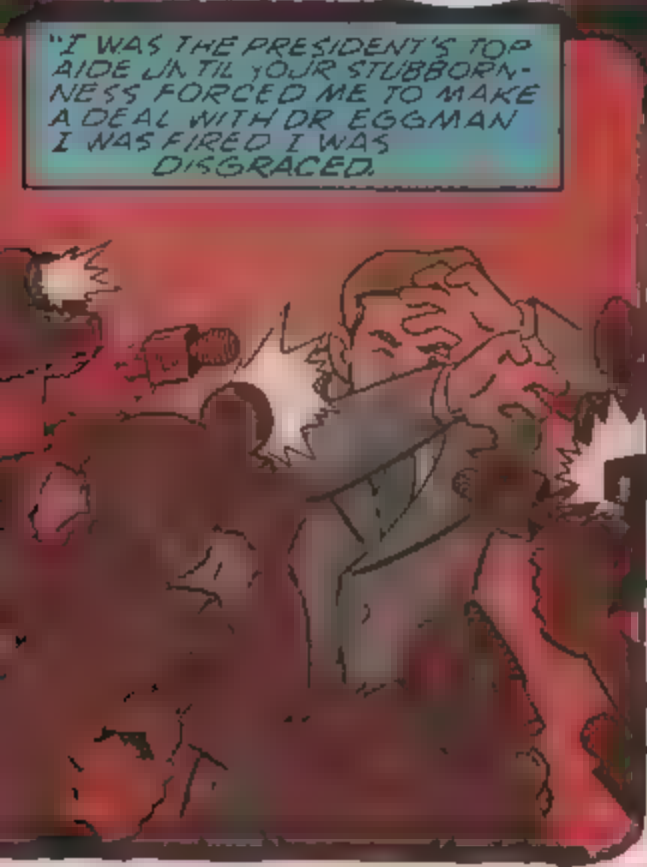
WHAT ABOUT YOU, BIG GUY? I KNOW I'VE NEVER MET YOU.



YOU HAVE NOT AND I DOUBT THE NAME OF LI YAN MEANS ANYTHING TO YOU. YOUR FRIEND KNUCKLES THE ECH DNA SLIPPED THROUGH THE GRASP OF MY GANG AND TOOK A CHAOS EMERALD I WAS LOOKING FOR I WON'T STAND THAT KIND OF EMBARRASSMENT, AND I'LL GET BACK AT HIM THROUGH YOU, IF NEED BE.



AND THEN
THERE'S ME
YOU SHOULD
RECOGNIZE
ME, SONIC.



"I WAS THE PRESIDENT'S TOP
AIDE UNTIL YOUR STUBBORN-
NESS FORCED ME TO MAKE
A DEAL WITH DR EGGMAN
I WAS FIRED I WAS
DISGRACED."



"I WAS LEFT ON
THE STREETS WITH
NO HOPE. I HAD
NO DIRECTION."



"I COULDN'T EVEN
GET ANYWHERE IN
THAT FIGHTING
CHAMPIONSHIP
WHERE YOUR
BUDDY EMERL
WENT BERSERK"

I HAD EVERYTHING. BECAUSE OF YOU, I LOST EVERYTHING BECAUSE OF YOU, I--

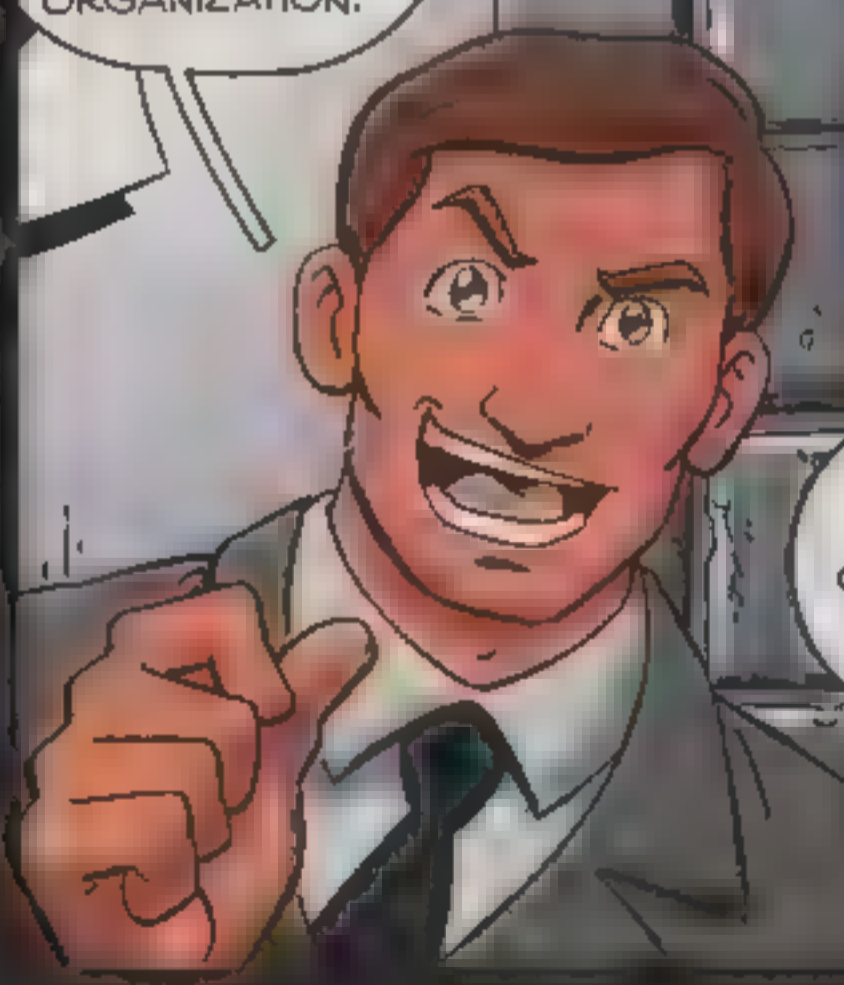


KNOCK IT OFF AND GET ON WITH IT, JEROME!

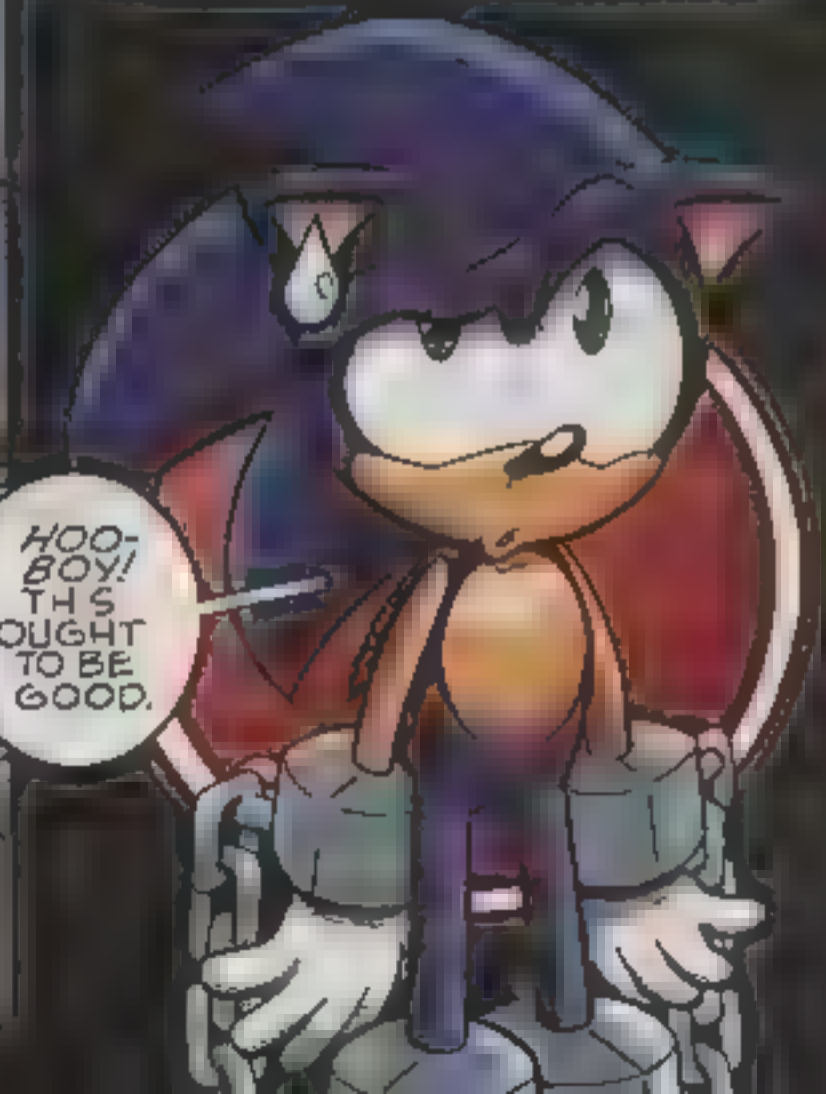


EEPI YESSIR!

MY NAME'S JEROME WISE, AND I CAME UP WITH THE NAME OF OUR SHADOWY ORGANIZATION.



HOO-BOY! TH'S OUGHT TO BE GOOD.



WE
ARE THE
SOCIETY
FOR...



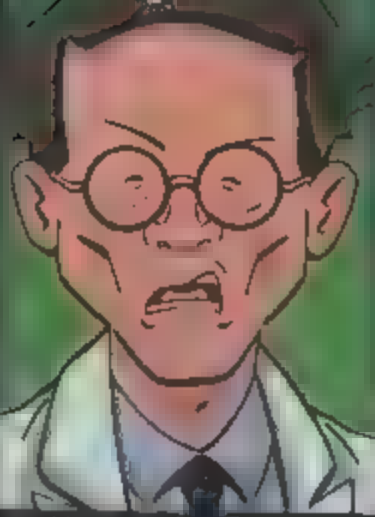
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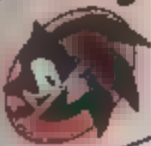
CREATURES ..



AND
XENOMORPHS.



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SONIC NEUTRALIZING
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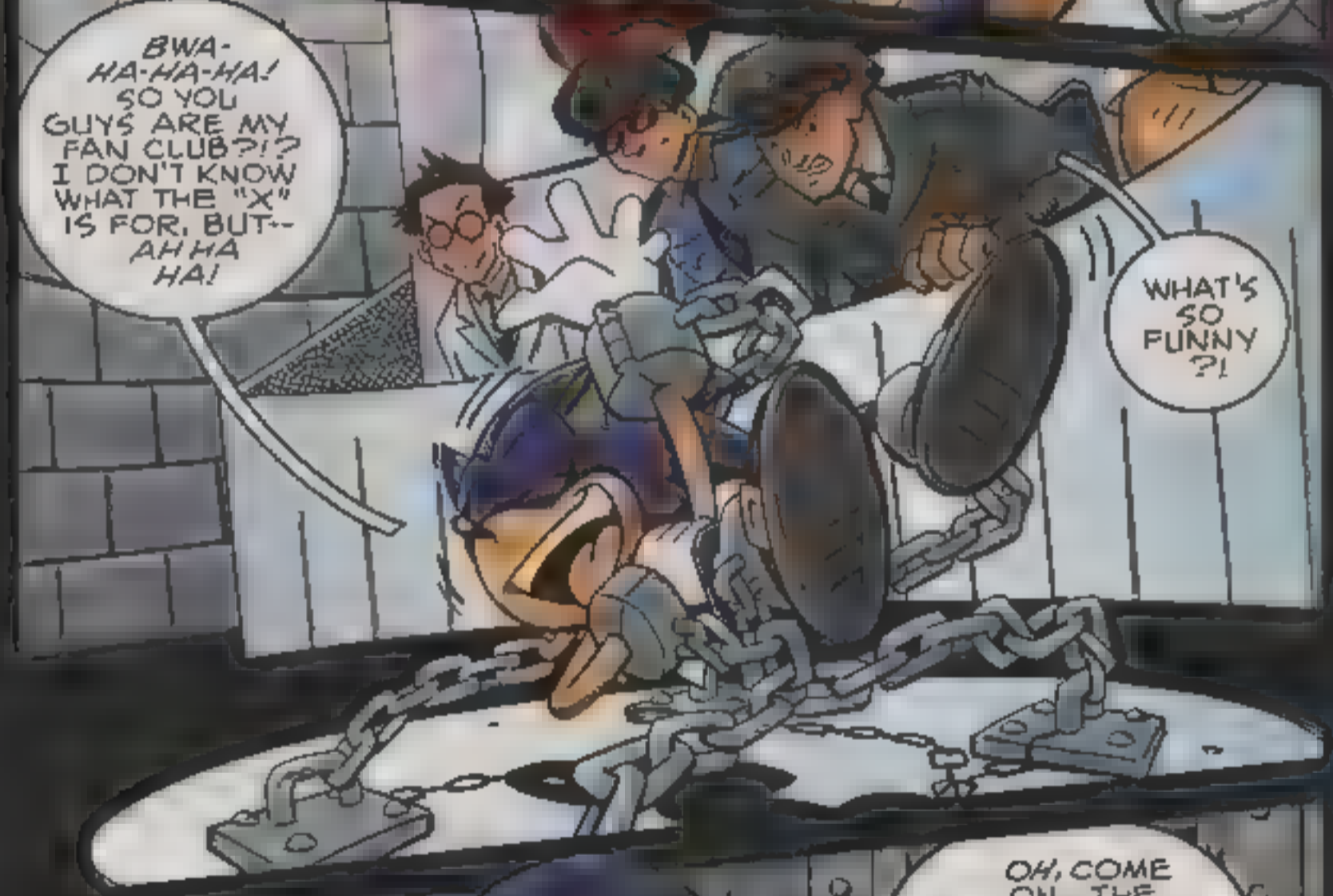




WAIT...
THE
SOCIETY
FOR..



~SNERK!~



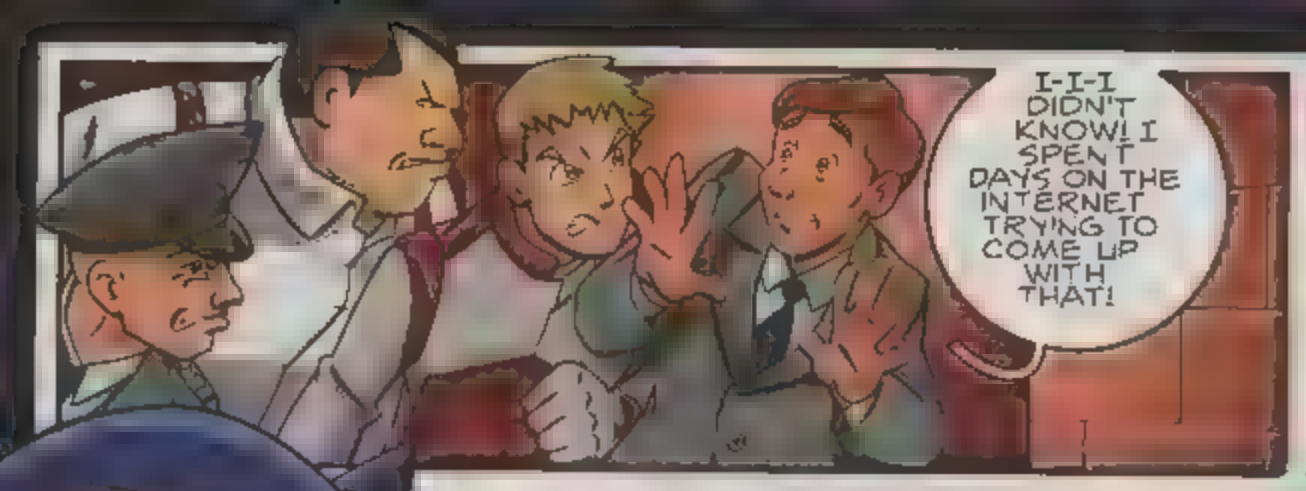
BWA-
HA-HA-HA!
SO YOU
GUYS ARE MY
FAN CLUB?!!
I DON'T KNOW
WHAT THE "X"
IS FOR, BUT--
AH HA
HA!

WHAT'S
SO
FUNNY
?!



OH, COME
ON THE
SOCIETY FOR
OBSERVING AND
NEUTRALIZING
INTERDIMENSIONAL
CREATURES AND
XENOMORPHS?

S.O.N.I.C.
X...?



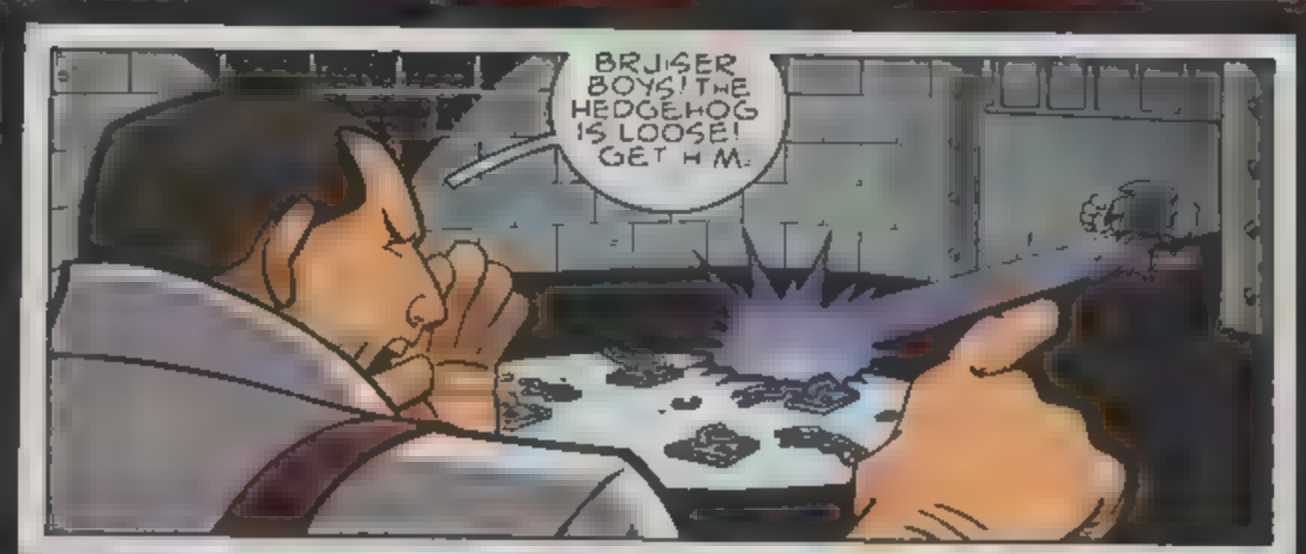
I-I-I
DIDN'T
KNOW! I
SPENT
DAYS ON THE
INTERNET
TRYING TO
COME UP
WITH
THAT!



WELL
THAT WAS
GOOD FOR
A LAUGH
NOW,
THEN

I'M
OUTTA
HERE!

THANKS!



BRUISER
BOYS! THE
HEDGEHOG
IS LOOSE!
GET H.M.

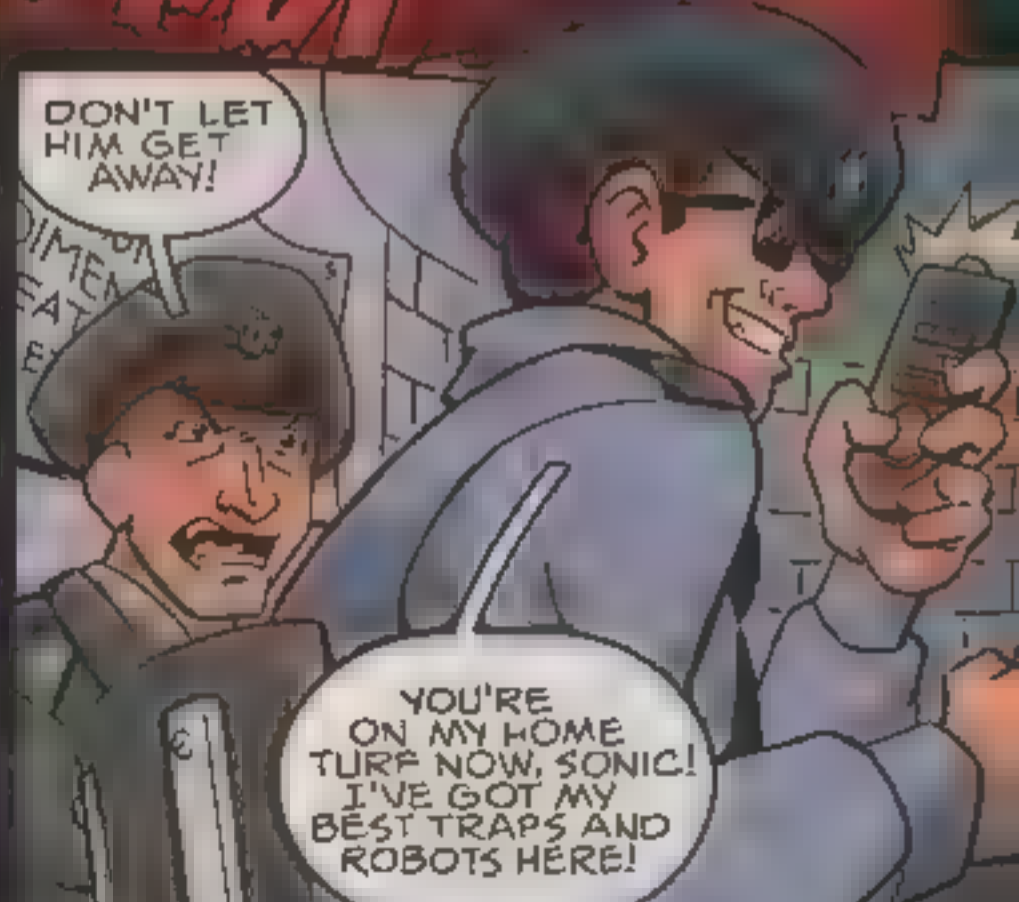


DON'T WORRY, BOSS. HE WON'T GET PAST US.

SMASH!

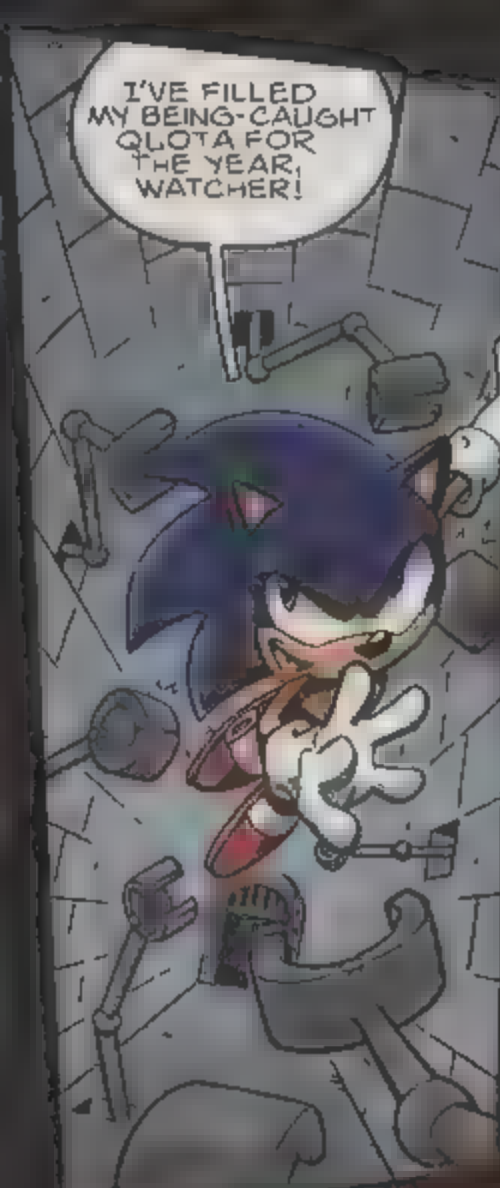


LIGHT, ANYBODY GET THE NUMBER OF THAT CANNON BALL?




DON'T LET HIM GET AWAY!

YOU'RE ON MY HOME TURF NOW, SONIC! I'VE GOT MY BEST TRAPS AND ROBOTS HERE!




I'VE FILLED
MY BEING-CAUGHT
QUOTA FOR
THE YEAR,
WATCHER!



AND YOUR
"BEST ROBOTS"
LOOK LIKE
DR EGGMAN'S
REJECTS!



THANKS
FOR THE FUN
NIGHT OUT,
THOUGH!
WE'LL HAVE
TO DO IT
AGAIN SOME-
TIME.



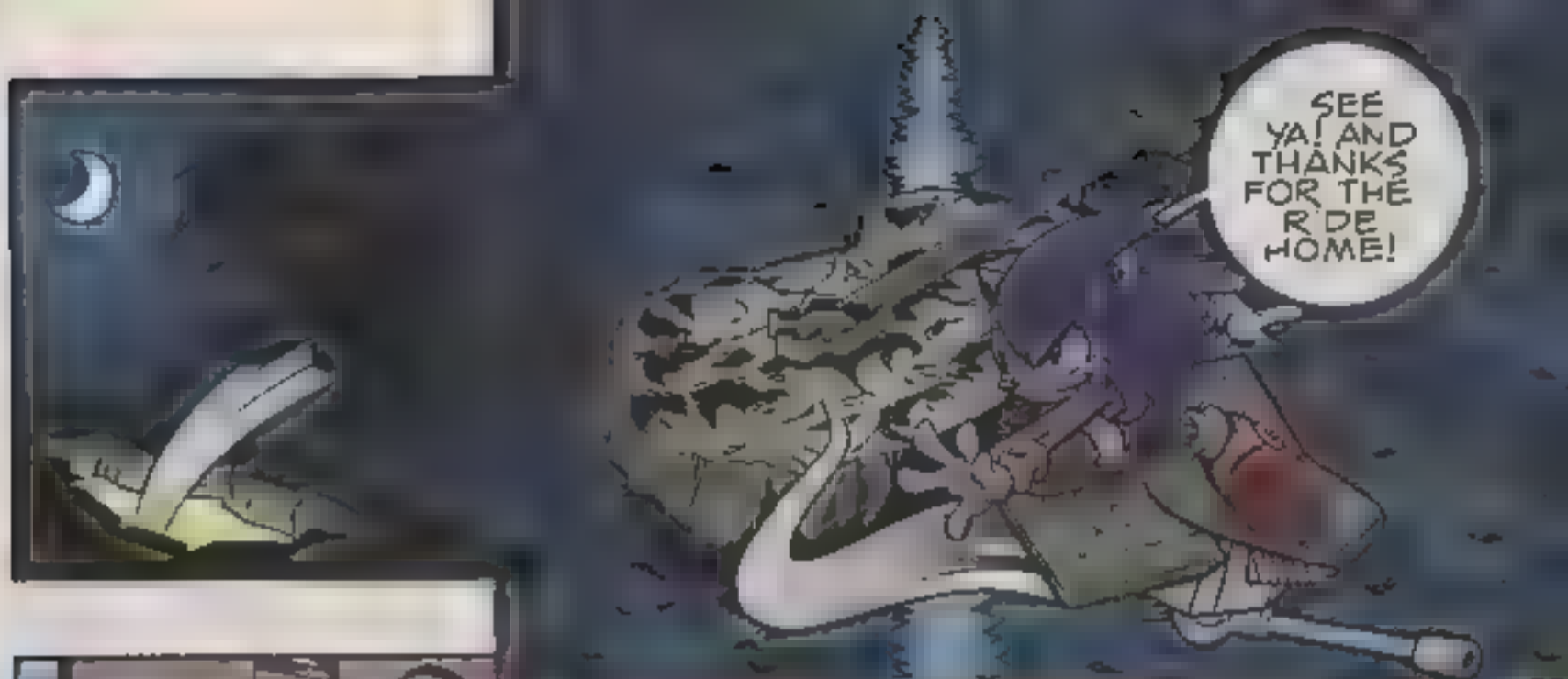
NOT!



A close-up of a grey, mechanical hand holding a silver tool. The hand is positioned on the left side of the frame, with the tool pointing towards the right. The background is dark and indistinct.



A close-up of a dark, metallic robot's face. The robot has a wide, toothy grin and is emitting a bright red laser beam from its mouth. The background is dark and indistinct.



SEE YA!
AND THANKS
FOR THE
RIDE
HOME!



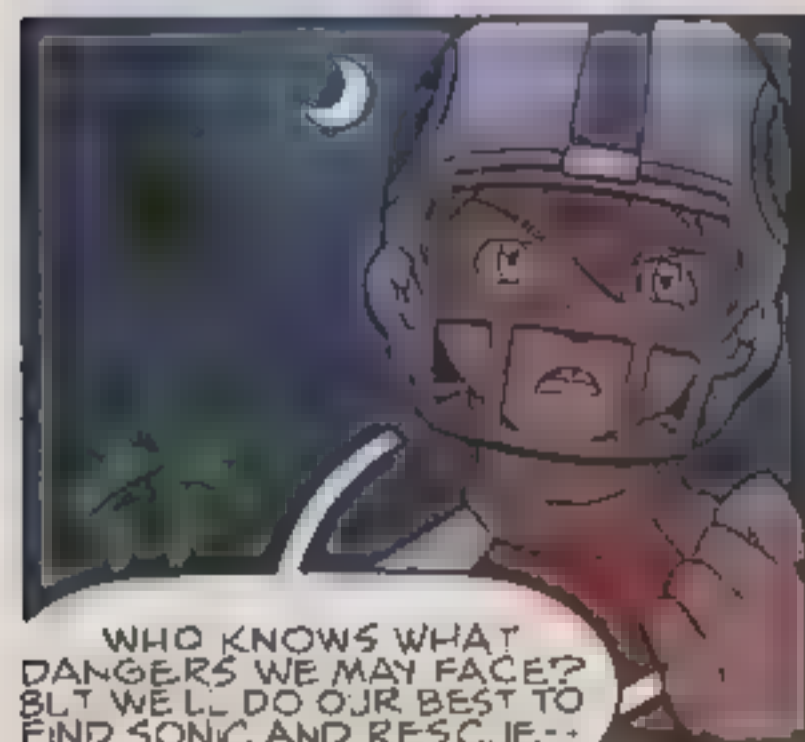
THORNDYKE MANOR,
HOME OF SONIC'S
FRIEND CHRIS

ALL RIGHT,
EVERYONE .

SONIC'S BEEN MISSING
SINCE THAT CRAZY
CAR CHASE THREE
HOURS AGO. WE'RE
GOING TO LOAD UP
THE X-TORNADO
AND SEARCH UNTIL
WE FIND HIM!



RIGHT!



WHO KNOWS WHAT
DANGERS WE MAY FACE?
BUT WE'LL DO OUR BEST TO
FIND SONIC AND RESCUE--



--HIM?



HI, GUYS!
WHAT'S FOR
DINNER?



...I WANTED
TO LEAD A
MISSION...

SONIC!

YOU'RE
OKAY!

OF
COURSE
I AM!



LOOKS LIKE
I LEFT ANGEL
ISLAND FOR
NOTHING.

ACTUALLY,
KNUCKLES,
YOU MIGHT
WANT TO
HEAR WHO
I RAN INTO
TONIGHT.

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you have
the more
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you have!

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YOU CAN MAKE A PHOTOCOPY OF THIS AD IF YOU DON'T WANT TO CUT UP YOUR BOOK.

AND SO...

THAT'S SO UNFAIR!
NONE OF THEIR REASONS
ARE REALLY YOUR FAULT!

OR THEY WERE
JERKS TO BEGIN
WITH!

I'LL NEED TO
FIND HAWK AND
WARN HIM ABOUT
LI YAN. THANKS,
SONIC.

SURE
THING,
KNUCKLES.

IT'LL BE OKAY,
THOUGH! WE CAN
HANDLE ANYTHING
THEY THROW AT
US!

I
DUNNO,
TAILS...

THAT
MANY WACKOS
WITH ALL THOSE
RESOURCES AND
CONNECTIONS?

"THEY MIGHT TURN OUT TO BE A REAL THREAT!"

I'M SORRY TO REPORT THAT OUR FIRST MISSION WAS A FAILURE, MISTER ORGANIZER.

NOT ENTIRELY, COMMANDER PASSER.

YOU PROVED YOU COULD CATCH SONIC, AND THAT WE STILL HAVE SOME WEAKNESSES, NEXT TIME WILL GO MUCH BETTER FOR US.

**WHO IS THE MYSTERIOUS ORGANIZER?
AND WHAT IS S.O.N.I.C.X.'S NEXT MOVE?
MAYBE THE ANSWERS LIE IN SONIC'S NEXT ADVENTURE,
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